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Serial No. 10/734,633

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5 Michael H. Goff)

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Filed: 12/15/2003)

For: Battery Charger and Emergency Power Supply Assembly)

Examiner: Pia F. Tibbits)

10 Group Art Unit: 2838)

Attorney: Sean A. Kaufhold)

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

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FEE CALCULATION: No Additional Fees Due.20 Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.181

Responsive to a Notice of Abandonment issued by the Patent Office on November 11th, 20005.

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REMARKS**Response to Notice of Abandonment**

This is in response to a notice of abandonment issued by the Office on November 11th, 2005. It is the applicant's position that the notice of abandonment was issued incorrectly as formal drawings were sent to the Office with the Notice of Allowance on August 22nd, 2005 along with a certificate of mailing. Further, applicant's counsel never received a copy of the notice of abandonment and it was only through an internal audit using PAIR that counsel became aware of the notice of abandonment.

As to the first point, the Examiner required a formal replacement for the amendment filed with an office action March 17th, 2005. That office action response resulted in a notice of allowance to be issued on May 25th, 2005. The notice of allowance requested formal drawings to be submitted with the issue fee. That request was fulfilled and therefore it is believed that the notice of abandonment was issued in error.

As to the second point, counsel never received the notice of abandonment and was unaware of it until today, January 19th, 2006. The notice of abandonment, as shown on PAIR, does not appear to include a date by which a response could, or should, be filed. However, any such lapse in time should be irrelevant due to the fact that it is believed the notice of abandonment was erroneously issued and counsel never received the notice of abandonment.

For the above reasons applicant requests that the notice of abandonment be removed and the application be allowed to issue.

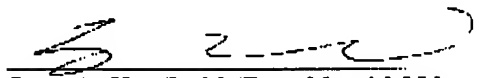
CONCLUSION

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In light of the foregoing amendments and remarks, early consideration and allowance of this application are most courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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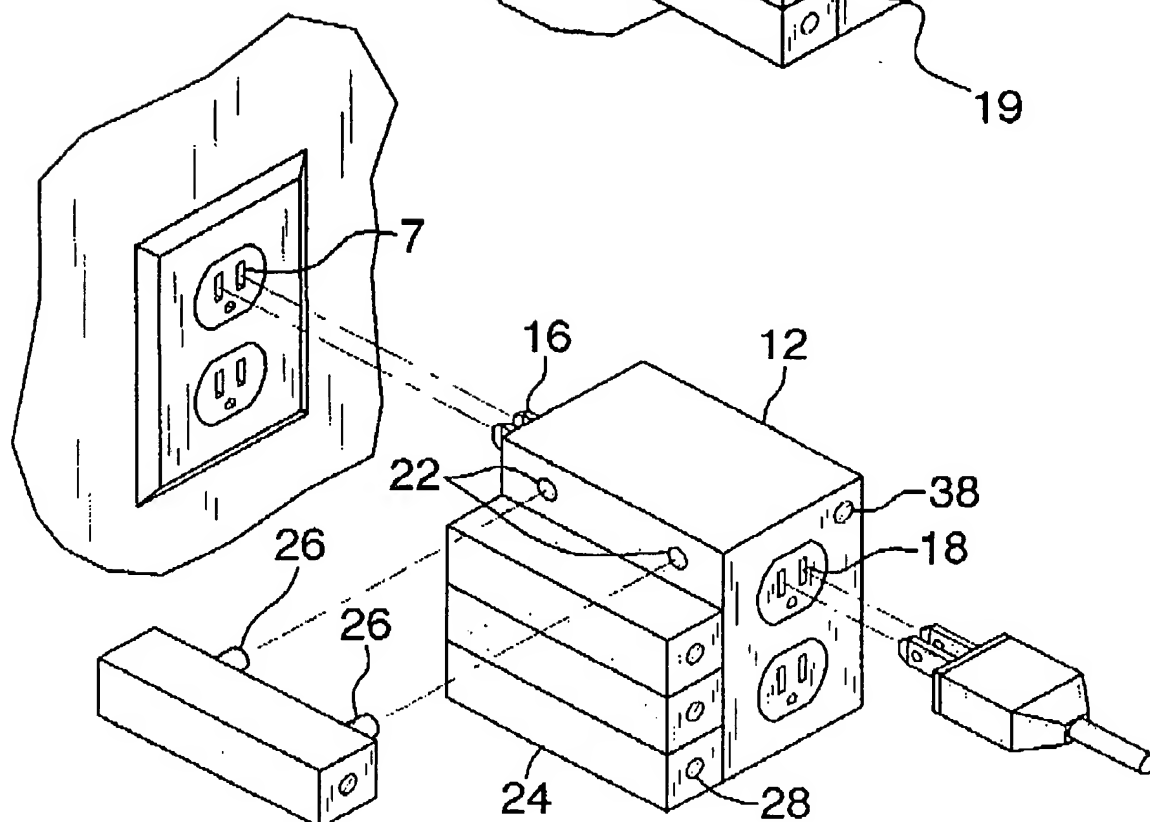
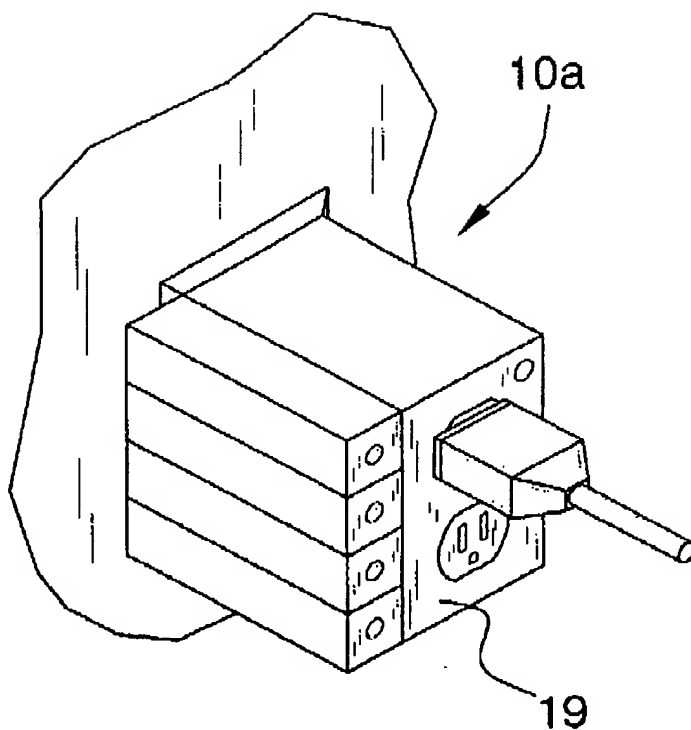


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APPLICATION NO	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO	CONFIRMATION NO
10/734,673	12/15/2003	Michael H. Goff	FRA 3370	2902
TITLE OF INVENTION: BATTERY CHARGER AND EMERGENCY POWER SUPPLY ASSEMBLY				

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10/734,613	12/15/2003	Michael H. Goff	FRA 3320	2002

TITLE OF INVENTION BATTERY CHARGER AND EMERGENCY POWER SUPPLY ASSEMBLY

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